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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No. 0250-806

First Inventor or Application Identifier: Mitsuaki ISHITOYA et al.

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRINTING A BLACK-AND-WHITE IMAGE BASED ON COLOR IMAGE INFORMATION

Express Mail Label No.

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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(preferred arrangement set forth below)
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 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to Microfiche Appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) Total Sheets [3]
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 - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)
[Note Box 5 below]
 - i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
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6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
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 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy
 - b. ☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
 - c. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

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9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
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11. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement ☐ Copies of IDS
(IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
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Statement(s) Status still proper and desired
(PTO/SB/09-12)
15. ☒ Certified Copy of Japanese Priority Document
No. 11-181294 Filed: June 28, 1999
16. ☐ Other:

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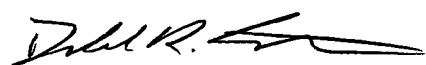
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		Filing Date		June 27, 2000			
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		Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
		105	130	65		Surcharge-late filing fee or oath	
		127	50	205	25	Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
		139	130	227		Non-English specification	
		147	2,520	139	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
		112	920*	147		Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
		113	1,840*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
		115	110	113	1,840*	Ext for reply within first month	
		116	380	115	55	Ext for reply within second mth	
		117	870	215	190	Ext for reply within third mth	
		118	1,360	216	435	Ext for reply within fourth mth	
		128	1,850	217	680	Ext for reply within fifth month	
		119	300	218	925	Notice of Appeal	
		120	300	228	150	Filing brief in support of appeal	
		121	260	219	150	Request for Oral Hearing	
		138	1,510	220	130	Petition to institute public use proceeding	
		140	110	221	1,510	Petition to revive-unavoidable	
		141	1,210	138		Petition to revive-unintentional	
		142	1,210	55		Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
		143	430	605		Design issue fee	
		144	580	241	605	Plant issue fee	
		122	130	242	290	Petitions to the Commissioner	
		123	50	243	130	Petitions related to provisional applications	
		126	240	122	50	Submission of IDS	
		581	40	123	240	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
		146	760	126	40	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	\$40.00
		149	760	581		For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
				246	380	Other _____	
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